

of Great Barrington two small trees of *Quercus acuminata*, Sargent. The nearest stations to Great Barrington known to me for this tree are Newberg, New York, where many years ago I saw a single specimen about two miles north of the city, and Gardener's Island in Lake Champlain, the only place in New England, with the exception of the one at Great Barrington, from which this tree has been reported. Mr. Brainerd tells me that the trees on Gardener's Island have recently been destroyed. On May 31st in driving from Great Barrington to West Stockbridge we saw in a low wet meadow large trees of *Crataegus lobulata*, Sargent, *Crataegus Pringlei*, Sargent, and by the roadside a bush of *Crataegus asperifolia*, Sargent.—  
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TWO NOTEWORTHY CARICES AT SUDBURY MASSACHUSETTS.— On June 17th, 1902, the writer accompanied by Messrs. M. L. Fernald and W. P. Rich took an early train for South Sudbury, Massachusetts. We went in quest of a rare sedge, *Carex teretiuscula*, Gooden. var. *ramosa*, Boott, which Mr. Fernald and Miss Helen M. Noyes had discovered in June, 1901. It was found as we expected in a beautiful little open peat bog in company with Pogonias, Arethusas and Saxifrages and just in time to be collected. It had previously been known in New England only from Vermont (see Brainerd, Jones and Eggleston's Catalogue) and from the town of Mt. Washington, Berkshire County, Massachusetts (July 5, 1859, Wm. Boott in Herb. Gray). Mr. Fernald also collected it this year on May 30th at Salisbury in northwestern Connecticut. Thus its station at South Sudbury is the first east of the Housatonic river, although the plant has since (July 13th) been found in a swamp at Presque Isle, Maine, by Mr. Fernald and the writer.

While we were busily pulling up a sufficiency of the Sudbury material for distribution among our friends and correspondents Mr. Fernald joyously exclaimed that he had discovered a new *Carex*. We have often had this experience when botanizing with this accomplished caricologist and therefore were not particularly startled, but when we learned that it was *Carex tetanica*, Schkuhr, var. *Woodii*, Bailey, we shared in his pleasure for we were informed that it had been collected in New England only once before and then by himself in a larch swamp on May 30th, 1902, at Salisbury, Connecticut. It



